

Application No. 10/687,148
Reply to Office Action of November 24, 2006

Docket No.: 13077-00097-US

REMARKS

The applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the amendment and the following remarks. The applicant has rewritten claims 14-19 into proper U.S. form. Support for newly amended claim 14 can be found in the specification at least at page 1, lines 8-10 (semiconductor layers). The applicant has amended the claims to correct multiple dependencies and add the definitions of substituents into the claims.

Claim 14-19 were rejected under 35 USC §101. Claim 20 was rejected under 35 USC §102 (b). The applicant appreciates that the Examiner has acknowledged that claims 1-13 are deemed allowable. The applicant believes that the claims as amended are allowable.

101 REJECTION

Claim 14-19 were rejected under 35 USC §101. The applicant has amended claims 14-19 and believes that the claims as amended are in compliance with 35 USC 101. Semiconductive layers would be a class of statutory invention. For the above reasons this rejection should be withdrawn.

102 REJECTION

Claim 20 was rejected under 35 USC §102 (b). In order to expedite prosecution the applicant has cancelled claim 20. For the above reasons, this rejection should be withdrawn.

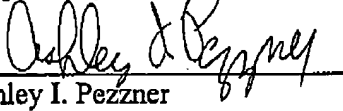
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In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 13077-00097-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Respectfully submitted,

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